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The Examiner is requested to review each of the references, indicate that the references were reviewed by initialing and returning a copy of the initialed Form to Applicant.

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Respectfully Submitted,

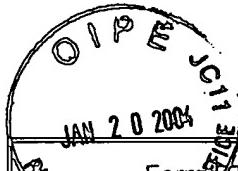
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